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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
NARUTOSHI FUKUZAWA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: HIGGINS, GERARD T.  
SERIAL NO: 10/565,679 :  
FILED: JANUARY 24, 2006 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1794  
FOR: OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM :  
AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE  
SAME, AND DATA RECORDING  
METHOD AND DATA REPRODUCING  
METHOD FOR OPTICAL RECORDING  
MEDIUM

ELECTION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the restriction requirement dated March 4, 2008, Applicants elect without traverse Group I, and list Claims 1 - 7 as readable thereon. Applicants make this election based on the understanding that Applicants are not prejudiced against filing one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected claims.

An early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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